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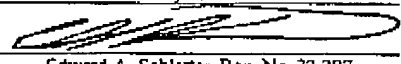
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FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Total Claims minus 20; or Previously Paid	8 - 20 = 0	1202 (\$18)	0 x 18 =	\$-0-
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Multiple Claim		1203 (\$290)		\$-0-
1 Month Extension		1251 (\$110)		\$-0-
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General Petition	37 CFR § 1.17(h)	1460 (\$130)		\$-0-
Terminal Disclaimer	37 CFR § 1.20(d)	1814 (\$110)		\$-0-
			SUB TOTAL	\$-0-
The present application qualifies for Small Entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27, Fee reduced by 1/2.				(\$-0-)
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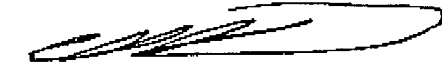
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In the communication from the Office dated June 8, 2004, the Examiner stated that the application has the following two inventions: Group I - Claims 47-54, drawn to a wheel support, classified in class 280, subclass 281.1 and Group II - Claims 55 and 56, drawn to a method of manufacturing a wheel support, classified in class 29, subclass 592.

In response, Applicants elect without traverse to proceed with the examination on the merits of Group I - Claims 47-54, without prejudice or disclaimer of the non-elected claims.

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Applicant respectfully submits that the foregoing is fully responsive to the Restriction Requirement. If, however, any undeveloped issue remains, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call Applicants' counsel at the number provided below in order to resolve such issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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